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CATALINA ISLAND'S EXCITING TOURS

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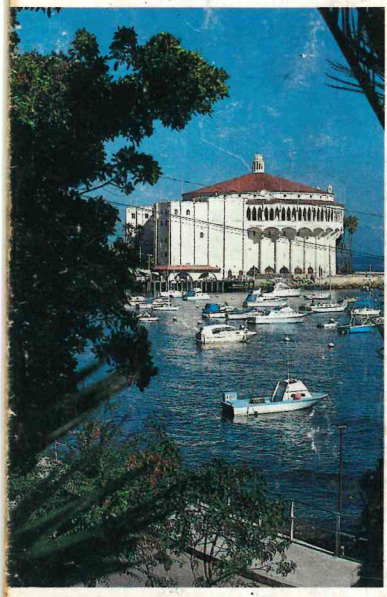


The sea, the land, the sights. . . enjoy everything this beautiful island offers

Only the people who know and love Catalina Island best can really introduce you to this beautiful place. We want to show you Catalina's famed flying fish and buffalo, its rare ironwood trees and wildflowers. Let us tell you about its earliest inhabitants and their burial grounds, about past explorers, and the pirates who came after. And we want to share the romance of Catalina Island with you; a twilight dinner with entertainment at Two Harbors, or a bountiful buffet and cocktails on a Sunset Cruise. Enjoy several, or all of these exciting tours. . . And make your Catalina Island vacation one you'll never forget!

Money-Saving Combination Tours

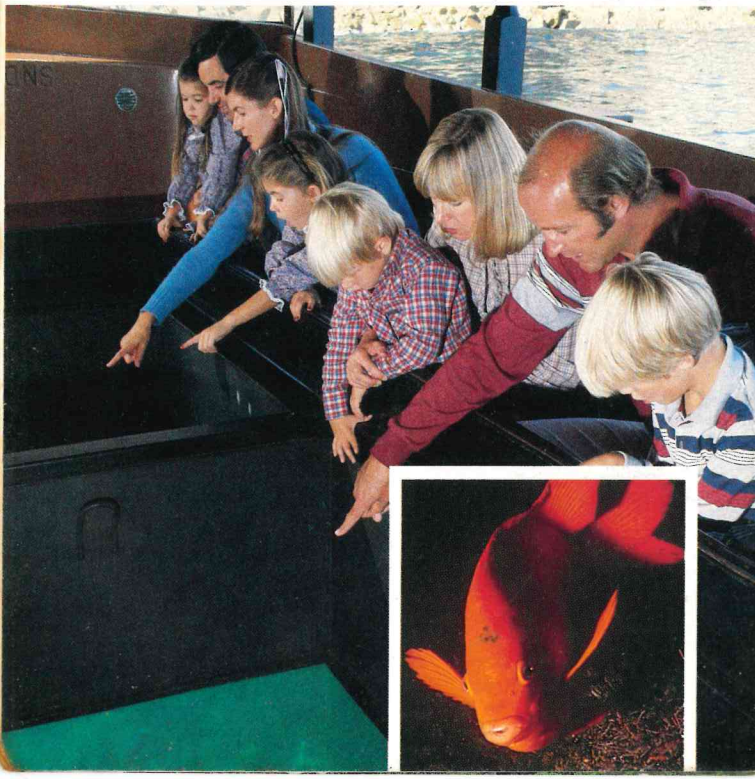
All year-round, make the most of a day in Catalina by taking a money-saving combination of tours. One combination includes the daytime Glass Bottom Boat Trip and Skyline Drive. Another includes the daytime Glass Bottom Boat Trip and Avalon Scenic Tour, plus your choice of either the Casino Tour or the Coastal Cruise to Seal Rocks. Both combination packages are at special rates and last 2½ hours, leaving ample time for other Catalina activities. Check the enclosed rate card for details.

Glass Bottom Boat Trip

(Day and Night) Time: 40 min.

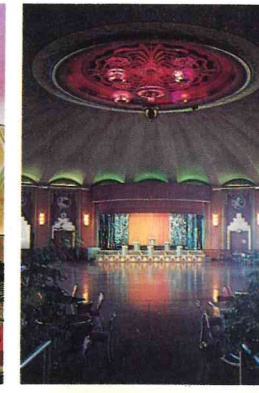
In Catalina's crystal-clear waters, is a marine preserve teeming with colorful fish and unusual plants and animals. You'll experience that undersea world from the comfort of our Glass Bottom Boats. See the Garibaldi, California's state fish, and witness the wonders of the sea as your guide shares personal knowledge with you.

At night, a completely different undersea world awaits you, with nocturnal marine creatures, such as lobster, in abundance. The Glass Bottom Boat Trip—a Catalina Original!



Casino Tour Time: 40 min.

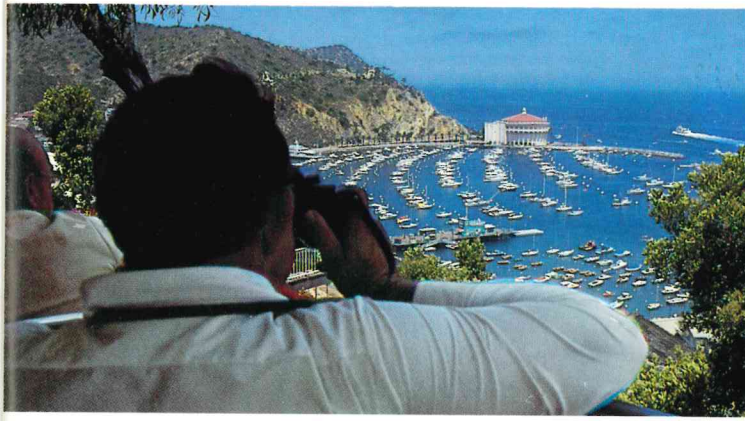
Catalina Island's famed landmark is one of the best-preserved examples of Art Deco design anywhere. The big bands played here (and still do), and left a legacy of fascinating memories and memorabilia. This guided walking tour includes the Avalon Theatre with its heroic-size murals and rare pipe organ, and a stop on the mezzanine to learn how this building was constructed. You'll be taken through the Casino Ballroom, a 180′ circular dance pavilion with no interior columns, and stroll the terrace to experience breathtaking views of the town, mountains and harbor before the short ride back to the center of Avalon.



Avalon Scenic Tour

Time: 50 min.

Get a taste of the storybook flavor of Avalon, Catalina Island's resort town. This delightful 9-mile tour is the perfect introduction to beautiful Avalon. You'll see Avalon's shops, restaurants, parks, beaches and lovely flower-laden residential streets. Then, as your motorcoach wends its way up into the surrounding hills, you'll see photogenic Avalon from a different perspective, against the spectacular backgrounds of canyons, mountains and sea. Along the route your guide will give you an overview of this community's highlights and its history.



Skyline Drive

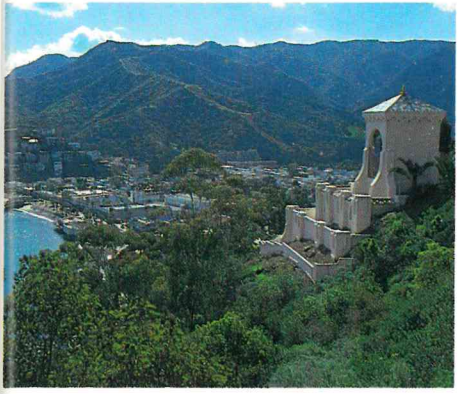
Time: 1¾ hrs.

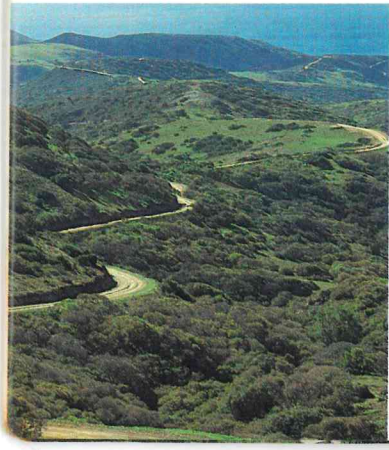
This enjoyable motorcoach tour takes you along Catalina Island's scenic Skyline Drive to the picturesque "Airport-in-the-Sky." Here you'll see the Santa Catalina Island Conservancy's new Nature Center and an exhibit of native artifacts. Along this ten-mile route, you'll overlook broad valleys, deep canyons and quiet coves. Here in the Conservancy's 42,000 acres of undeveloped wilderness, buffalo, goat, boar, fox and deer wander, and bald eagles soar. You'll see Catalina Island's native and rare plant life, including the ironwood tree that has been extinct on the mainland for 20,000 years.

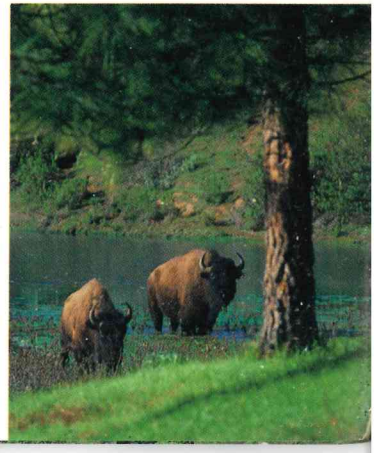
Inland Motor Tour

Time: 3¾ hrs.

An unforgettable trip. The most comprehensive tour of Catalina Island available! This memorable 28-mile journey provides unmatched views of both the windward and channel shorelines of this treasured island. You'll travel along the breathtaking Skyline Drive to the mountain-top "Airport-in-the-Sky." From there, you'll visit El Rancho Escondido for refreshments and a performance by pure-bred Arabian horses. But the real excitement of this trip comes from meeting nature on her own terms—in the heart of the Santa Catalina Island Conservancy. Your guide will tell you of Catalina's fascinating history, and point out species of plant life found only in Catalina and California's Channel Islands. You'll encounter free-roaming buffalo and may even see the soaring bald eagle—now reintroduced to its native habitat. Experience Catalina at its unspoiled and natural best—take the Inland Motor Tour!







Coastal Cruise to Seal Rocks

Time: 55 min.

Come visit Catalina Island's entertaining "Showmen of the Sea" at their rugged east end home—accessible only on this cruise. Here the migratory California sea lions "haul out." These enchanting creatures, more popularly recognized as trained "seals" of circus fame, can be seen swimming and sunning in their natural habitat which is set against spectacular scenery. Along the way you get a glimpse and an understanding of the commercial side of the island. You see where barges unload virtually all of our needs, and where seaplanes and helicopters land. Farther along, you'll travel close to the shore along the rock quarry which supplies Southern California ports with break-water material. All of this, and more, is yours to enjoy in the comfort of your cruise boat, and with the expert narration of your knowledgeable guide.

(May through mid-October)

Flying Fish Boat Tour

Time: 55 min.

Evenings, Catalina Island's flying fish, the largest in the world, put on a performance you have to see to believe! . . . Sailing through the air, their "wings" outspread, flying fish really appear to fly, at speeds reported up to 40 miles per hour! . . . primarily to escape their enemies or other potential dangers. Because these fish migrate close to the shore after dark, you only have to go just a bit off the coast to watch their flights at night. Your guide shines a brilliant 40-million candlepower searchlight toward shore, dramatically spotlighting these aviators of the sea. Sometimes, they'll even join you in your boat!

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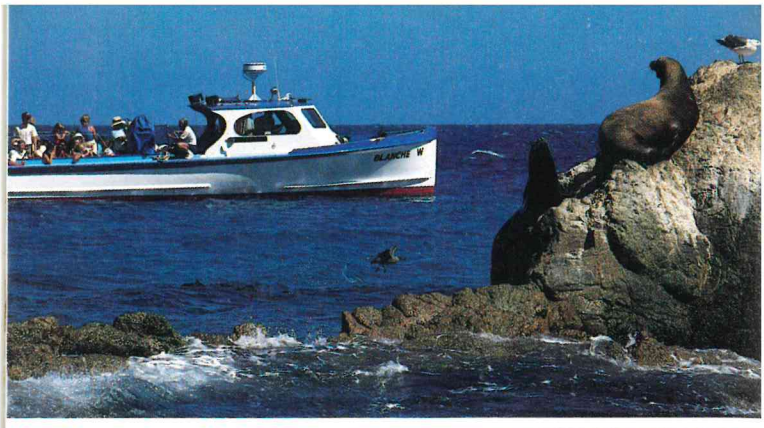
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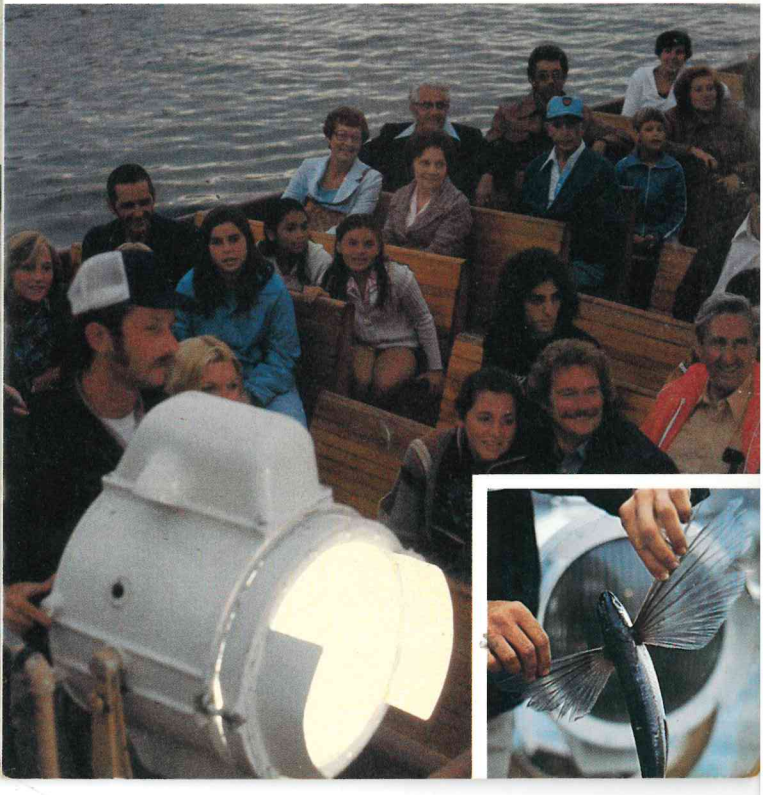

Twilight Dining at Two Harbors (at the Isthmus)

Time: about 4 hrs.

We have packaged some of the nicest things about Catalina Island into the kind of evening that makes a vacation memorable. Begin with a cruise along 14 miles of shoreline on a 98-passenger motor vessel. Catalina Island's mountains and the setting sun all add to the conviviality of fellow passengers who share this experience. At Two Harbors, you'll walk along a palmlined beach and enjoy a complimentary beverage before sitting down to a delicious buffet prepared by the Harbor Reef Restaurant, and served on their cozy outdoor patio. All this and entertainment, too. But your special evening isn't over yet! Because our 40-million candlepower light will also illuminate the performances of Santa Catalina's famous flying fish as you return to Avalon! It's a great evening!

(Mid-June through September)

Sunset Buffet Cruise

Time: 2 hrs.

Here's an evening of fun aboard the historic paddle wheeler, M.V. Phoenix! The buffet is bountiful and the bar is well stocked! The music is live and lively. Relax on the lower deck or join in the merriment on the upper deck. Catalina Island's shoreline comes to life for you as the Captain relates interesting and inviting stories of its past and present. As friendships grow and the mood mellows, join in with impromptu sing-alongs, dancing and just plain laughter. All this with a panorama of setting sun, secluded coves and rugged hillsides. . . and you may even see some of our wild animals ambling down to the water's edge as dusk falls over this beautiful island.

(May through September)

Catalina Island Visitor's Information Center...where a great vacation begins!

Located on Crescent Avenue across from the green Pleasure Pier, the Visitor's Information Center is your one-stop source for Catalina Island activities and sightseeing tours. Lighted displays and videos provide valuable information about Catalina attractions and Casino events and you can purchase tickets, make reservations and pick up free maps and brochures here, too. Get the most out of your Catalina Island visit. Stop in as soon as you arrive!

LOOK FOR THE "SALUDOS" GIRL — YOUR ASSURANCE OF SATISFACTION

Wherever you see the "Saludos" girl in Catalina — on signs and on the armpatches of the guides in yellow vests — you can expect smiling hospitality and helpful information.

For more information, call or write:
Santa Catalina Island Company
P.O. Box 737
Avalon, California 90704
Telephone: 213-510-2000 From California: 1-800-4-AVALON
After 11/2/91: (310) 510-2500

Boat and bus charters are available

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1992 FARES-DISCOVERY TOURS

YEAR AROUND TRIPS

	Adults	Seniors (55 yrs. & up)	Children (2 thru 11)
Casino Tour	$ 6.50	$ 5.25	$ 3.50
Glass Bottom Boat Trip – Day	6.00	5.25	3.50
– Night	6.50	5.25	4.00
Avalon Scenic Tour	6.00	5.25	3.50
Skyline Drive	11.50	10.50	8.00
Inland Motor Tour	22.00	19.00	13.00

MAY THROUGH SEPTEMBER

Coastal Cruise to Seal Rocks	$ 6.00	$ 5.25	$ 3.50
Flying Fish Trip	6.50	5.25	4.00

SPECIAL DINNER TOURS

Ask sightseeing ticket agents for details.

Sunset Buffet Cruise **May thru Sept.** - includes buffet dinner, all beverages, entertainment and coastline cruise.	$35.00	$32.00	$18.00
Twilight Dining at Two Harbors **Mid-June to Mid-Sept.** - includes buffet dinner, complimentary cocktail and Flying Fish Trip.	38.00	32.00	18.00

MONEY-SAVING COMBINATION TOURS

Mini-Combo - Any 2 of Glass Bottom Boat (Day), Avalon Scenic, Casino or Coastal Cruise Trips or Tours	$10.00	$ 9.00	$ 6.50
Skyline Drive Combo Skyline Drive plus your choice of the Glass Bottom Boat (Day), Avalon Scenic, Casino or Coastal Cruise Trips or Tours	14.50	13.00	9.50

Trips and fares subject to change.

Special rates available for groups of 20 or more.

Reservations and tickets at the Visitor's Information Center
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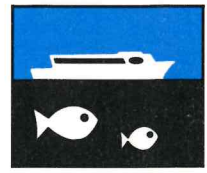
THINGS TO SEE AND DO IN CATALINA

AVALON SCENIC TOUR, 50 min.

Enjoy the storybook flavor of Avalon on this 9-mile journey which takes you by the beachfront, along lovely, flower-laden residential streets, and up into the surrounding hills for spectacular, photogenic views.



GLASS BOTTOM BOAT TRIP, 40 min.

The original, since 1894! Just below the surface of the sea, in Catalina's crystal clear water, is another world teeming with colorful fish, and strange and unusual plant and animal life. Night trips available. A "must" for the entire family.

CASINO TOUR, 40 min.

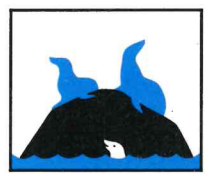
This guided walking tour takes you back in time to the days of the silents, when theatre organs brought life to the action. You'll enjoy it all, including a slide show, big band memorabilia, heroic-size murals, and a twirl around the ballroom.

INLAND MOTOR TOUR, 3¾ hrs.

An unforgettable half-day adventure that takes you along the breathtaking Skyline Drive, through the heart of the Santa Catalina Island Conservancy. You'll stop at the "Airport-in-the-Sky," watch horses perform and tour El Rancho Escondido, encounter buffalo, view the scenic coastline and beaches of the remote windward side of the island, and enjoy refreshments on one of the stops.

SKYLINE DRIVE, 1¾ hrs.

A venture into ten miles of the Conservancy's unspoiled wilderness to the "Airport-in-the-Sky," where you may visit the Nature Center and watch planes landing and taking off. You'll see rare plant life, quiet coves and maybe a buffalo or goat.

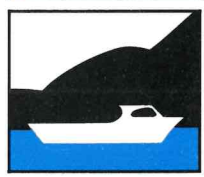


COASTAL CRUISE TO SEAL ROCKS, 55 min.

May to mid-October. This open-air cruise takes you past Catalina's "working" shoreline to the "hidden side," and when the migratory seals are "at home" in Catalina waters, you'll see them sunning and swimming, framed by spectacular scenery.

FLYING FISH BOAT TOUR, 55 min.

From May to mid-October, Catalina's aerial acrobats, the flying fish, put on a performance you have to see to believe! Flying fish really do fly and at 40 miles per hour. Powerful 40-million candlepower searchlights attract these fish to put on their act to your delight. Departs in the evening.



TWILIGHT DINING AT TWO HARBORS, 4 hrs.*

Mid-June thru mid-September, this is the kind of an evening that makes a vacation memorable. After a 14-mile sightseeing cruise along Catalina Island's stunning coastline, you enjoy a delightful dinner, complimentary beverage, and a chance to explore Two Harbors. On your way back, you're entertained by Catalina's famous flying fish. (*Approximate)

SUNSET BUFFET CRUISE, 2 hrs.

May through September. Here's an evening of fun aboard the paddle wheeler M.V. Phoenix. The buffet is bountiful, the bar is well stocked, the music is lively and there's even an informal, informative commentary. Join in the fun and laughter.

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ASK ABOUT OUR MONEY-SAVING COMBINATION TOURS, SENIOR RATES AND GROUP PACKAGES

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